In re Application of:

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Docket No. 00862.021990

_ JUN OIDA ET AL.

Application No.: 09/650,999

Examiner: K.Y. Poon

Filed: August 31, 2000

TC/Art Unit: 2624

For: IMAGE PROCESSING CONTROLLING DISTRIBUTION OF WORK AMONG

APPARATUSES BASED ON APPARATUS

PERFORMANCE (as amended) Date: December 12, 2005

Mail Stop: RCE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 17	MINUS	** 58	= 0	x \$25 \$50	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 3	MINUS	*** 17	= 0	x \$100 \$200	0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180/\$360						0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						0

If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

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	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06 1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
X	A check in the amount of $$1,020.00$ to cover the fee for a <u>three</u> -month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.
	Respectfully submitted,
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